Docket No.

202708US6

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tsunetake NOMA

SERIAL NO: 09/684,063

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FILED:

FOR:

SERVICE PROVIDING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

AND METHOD AS WELL AS PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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## **AMENDMENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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